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Mr. Johnny Reising U.S. Department of Energy, Fernald Area Office P.O. Box 538705 Cincinnati, OH 45253-8705

RE: APPROVAL OF OU3 PROJECT D&D REPORT FOR THE OU4 COMPLEX SILO 3 D&D PROJECT

Dear Mr. Reising:

Ohio EPA has reviewed DOE's August 2, 2006 "Operable Unit 3 Project Completion Report for the Operable Unit 4 Complex Silo 3 Decontamination and Dismantlement Project (40900-RP-0002 Rev. 0)". Ohio EPA approves this document.

Should you have any questions, please contact Michelle Waller or me at (937) 285-6466.

Sincerely,

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